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The streets of Hà Nội



Backstage view in Hà Nội



Overweight



The woman monger



People and flowers



White splendors



Youngsters by the river



The Emperor





Aside

Burgers and donuts



The bridge anchored in the sky





Boulevard

Low top view over a street in Hà Nội





Rice and birds



Grandeur

The bouquet



Garden of the city





Water blossom



Floral touch



Camouflage

Edges and ledges



Hồ Chí Minh city view



The tavern



Hôtel de Ville de Saïgon





Expo



Flowering smiles



Flag flower

Spilling color



Holiday attire





Invading white



Buddha smiling

Afloat





Funny face boat

In the land of the Nine Dragons



Woman in contemplation





The singer

Flowers and money



Beam crossing



Hungry howls





Bikes resting

The big hat





Explanation



Free nature



Dispersal

Under cover



Hit the road, Jack!



Intermission





The chaise

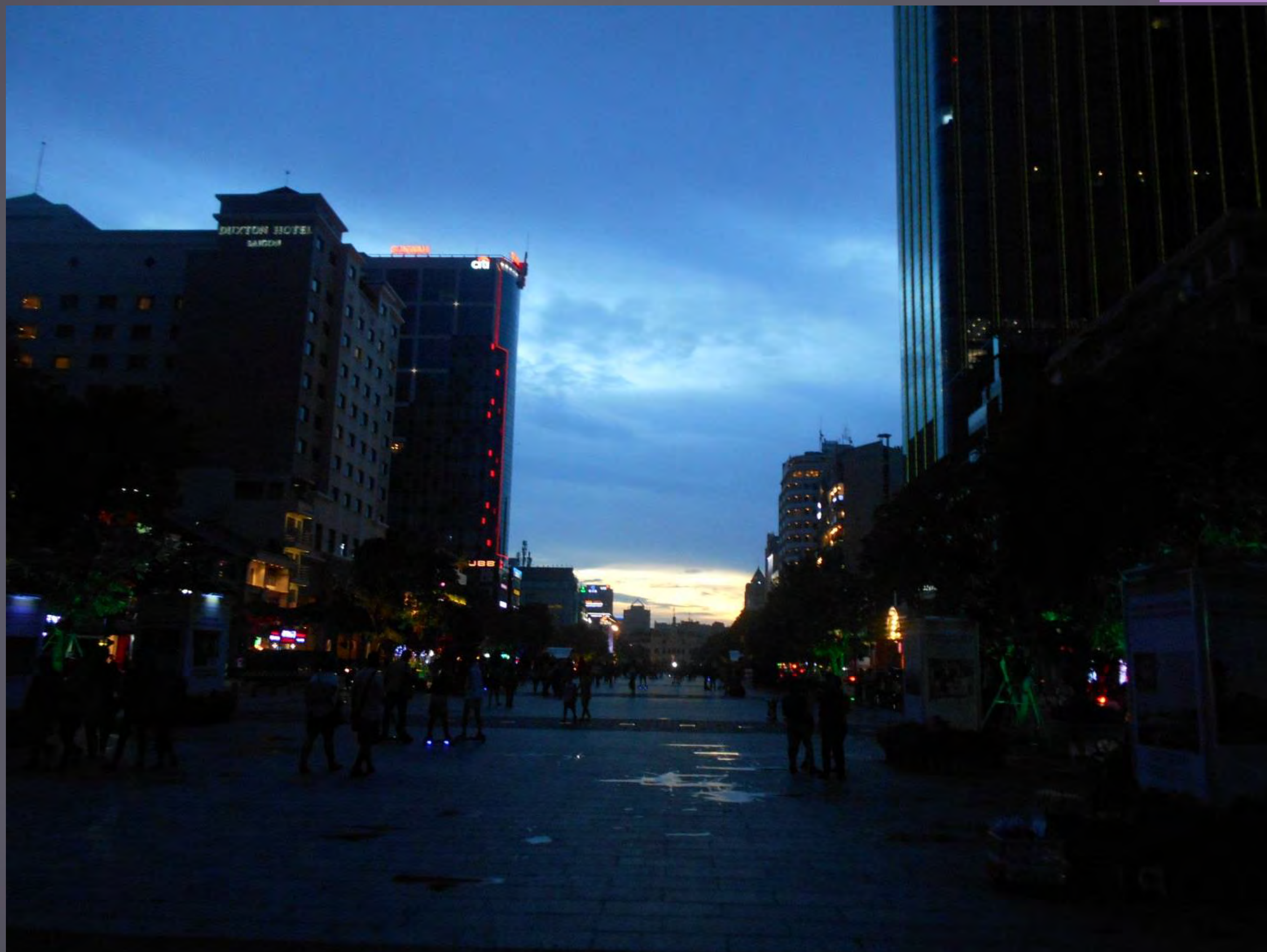


Homeward

Motorcycling



Night in Hồ Chí Minh city





Let there be lights!



Morning in Hồ Chí Minh city



Blue stripes

To work





Falling



A lull



Embarkation



Long waters



Back road



The big boss with long tail



Awaiting



Hiding

A boat on Mekong



Water path



Monkeys island



Strong roots



Perspective



People and motors



Vietnamse feast (I)



Vietnamse feast (II)



Vietnamse feast (III)



Vietnamse feast (IV)



Vietnamse feast (V)



Vietnamse feast (VI)



Vietnamse feast (VII)



Vietnamse feast (VIII)



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Vietnamse feast (XXV)



Vietnamse feast (XXVI)



Market on wheels





The captive

A sip of smoke



Carrying spikes





Selling colors

A rest by the apartment building



The light at the end of the tunnel



Diurnal rhythms



Sinking or raising





The Mausoleum

Directions



Interrogative street end



The lesson


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Trân trọng!

Lights and colors





Standing above



Buddha of the bus



Parking



Topicality



Vietnamese pottery



A fragment of a castle

The sign



Turrets in the woods



Silence by the city



Hydroponics




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Building the future



Small things



Vietnamese underground





Snaking



Walkside



Sun umbrella



Vegetables



Fading out

Leaving Vietnam, dreaming back

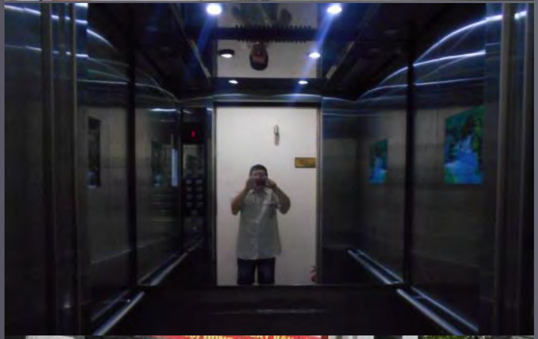


The end of a journey, the beginning of a memory



This album is a photolog of a three-weeks-long scientific & touristic trip in Vietnam; a country that - in the last century - surpassed wars and uncertainty and unrest, being nowadays in the midst of a new battle: that of regaining the smile. The brave nation of Vietnam proves it again and again, more and more: this battle is won every day.









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